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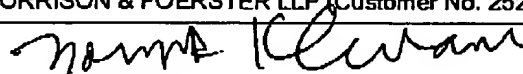
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The following is in response to the Office Action in the above case having mailing date of December 22, 2004. Since this response has been filed within three months of that date, no time extension is believed to be required.

There are no amendments to the specification or claims herein. The rejection was non-final.

Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

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